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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: _____ :

FUMIHIKO SATO _____ : GROUP UNIT:

SERIAL NO: NEW CONT. APPLN. _____ :

FILED: HEREWITH _____ : EXAMINER:

FOR: USER INTERFACE SYSTEM HAVING:
A SEPARATE MENU FLOW SOFTWARE
OBJECT AND OPERATION SOFTWARE OBJECT

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

Prior to initial examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.